

Wichita Colleges

Universities and Academies

FAIRMOUNT COLLEGE NOTES.

A large number of students attended the musical concert given at the First Methodist church last Wednesday evening. The program was an excellent one, portraying the betrayal and condemnation of Christ and was given under the direction of Professor E. C. Marshall.

The Ladies Aid society of Plymouth church presented Holyoke cottage, as an Easter gift, with one dozen silver knives and forks.

Miss Ada Chambers of Kechi and Mr. W. U. Miller of Belle Plaine enrolled during the week.

On Saturday several former students visited college classes. Among these were Miss Hattie Lenson of Kechi and Miss May Dobbin of Viola. Both young ladies have been teaching school.

On Friday of this week will occur the fourth annual debating contest between S. W. K. college and Fairmount college. The debate will be held in the opera house at 10 o'clock.

The question for discussion is: "Resolved, That National Party Lines Should Be Discarded in Municipal Elections." Fairmount has the affirmative and will be represented by C. C. Ledy, Jr.; Stephen Nease, Jr. and Edwin Burton, Jr.

A delegation of at least one hundred students is expected to accompany the debaters to Winfield. The delegation will leave on a morning train, probably via the Santa Fe and return by a special car, including after the debate.

Friends of the college are cordially invited to join the Fairmount delegation; the railroads will grant one fare or less for the round trip.

The college baseball team will play its first game this season on next Friday afternoon with S. W. K. college. The game will be played on the Winfield diamond.

Mrs. N. J. Morrison and Mrs. S. C. D. Putnam are both seriously ill with the grip.

Miss Nina Miller, '01, has been compelled to take a vacation because of trouble with her eyesight. She is at present at her home in Anthony.

The S. S. club is the name of a social society organized among the preparatory students. Their last meeting was held at the residence of Professor Paul Boniet.

FRIENDS UNIVERSITY NOTES.

B. W. Truesdell, assistant in the science department, led the chapel exercises on Thursday. He gave a very interesting talk on the advancement of science during the 19th century.

Changes in methods and teachers' review work in the common branches were organized at the beginning of the week. Several teachers have enrolled for the work.

The suits for the baseball team have arrived and were donned by the boys a few days since. The suits are of light gray with scarlet trimmings, scarlet caps and stockings and with all the boys make a very neat appearance.

They were their suits for the first time in the name with the Commercial college team Saturday.

The Y. M. and the Y. W. C. A., gave their semi-annual reception to the new students Saturday evening at the university. The halls were beautifully decorated with palms and bunting. A large number of students were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Two Christian associations have done a great deal of good work in making them feel at home and helping them to become settled in their work.

The Senior Shakespeare club began the study of "As You Like It" last Tuesday. The Davis Lozom has planned some special programs for the next few weeks.

They will give a program of songs and Friday evening and a southern program at the next session.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. E. P. McLean received the friends of the West Side Kindergarten at her beautiful home on North Seneca. Music and interesting addresses furnished entertainment, after which dainty refreshments were served. The rooms were beautifully decorated with roses and carnations.

The girls interested in athletics met and organized a club, the main object of which is to secure interest in physical culture among the girls, so that in leaving their college life to go forth into the world they will be better developed physically as well as mentally; also that the girls, through the social circle, will work in unison rather than individually.

After the adoption of the constitution the following officers were elected: President, Edna Shaw; vice president, Halls Crawford; secretary, Alice Matlock; treasurer, Iva Israel; grand, Lenora Jaz; and reporter, Prof. Edward Williams.

The department of shorthand, typewriting and penmanship, in charge of Otto F. Myers is increasing in interest and numbers. Several students have recently enrolled and all are doing good work.

LEWIS ACADEMY NOTES.

The week just ended, completed the third term of the school year. On Thursday and Friday the examination of those whose average grade fell below 75, and those who missed work in some study, occurred. The work of the term has proven very satisfactory in every respect.

Among the first examination were those in the principles of botany, psychology, review of English grammar, ancient history and some of the New term classes in physics, political economy, analytical botany and review of physiology, will be formed.

The students of the school were unpleasantly surprised Monday morning when several were convicted. Professor Taylor was not in the accustomed place, and it was with much concern that the news of his illness was received. His genial, happy presence was greatly missed and the reports of his condition were anxiously awaited each day by all connected with the school. It is hoped that he will be able to be in his place at least by the middle of the week.

Mrs. E. A. Sweeney of the art studio has added a new feature to the work in her department. This is in the form of pyrometry, the new decorative art in burnt wood and leather. Mrs. C. C. Smith, who comes direct from the art studio of Chicago, has charge of this work. A number of articles illustrative of the art are on exhibition in the House Store windows, at present.

This studio is open Monday afternoon and Thursday to visitors who may wish to view the work now being done in pyrometry by pupils.

Mrs. Aubel Martin-Brooks was a visitor recently. Mrs. Brooks graduated with the class of '98, the first class that graduated from the academy. Her visit was very much enjoyed by all of her old associates who are still connected with the school.

The class in natural philosophy spent a pleasant and profitable evening last week at the power house of the electric light company investigating the workings of the system. Through the courtesy of the employees a great deal of practical information relative to the principles of electric lighting and the machinery used was gained.

Mr. Bruce Miller of Potomac was a visitor last week. Also Miss Mary Braden.

of Derby and Miss Ethel Tucker and Mr. Austin Tucker, both last year's graduates.

The fourth year Latin class has finished reading the first six books of Virgil's Aeneid. Selections from Ovid will be read next term.

Prof. Foote had charge of the chapel during Prof. Taylor's absence last week. The students showed their appreciation of the double task imposed upon Professor Foote, by keeping themselves in good order.

The senior class are planning for their reception to the juniors to occur soon. The girls' physical culture class have been constantly at work for the past few weeks preparing for their exhibition to take place Wednesday night, and are now confident of success in their undertaking.

ALBERTUS MAGNUS COLLEGE NOTES.

Prof. Henri Appy, director of the conservatory of music, expects to engage as instructor in vocal music, a lady from New York city, who studied under the renowned Madame Metcher in Paris and under the celebrated vocal instructor William Shakespeare in London.

Applications have been received in the musical, art, dramatic, literary and commercial departments this week.

The Easter holidays began last Monday.

There has been added to the commercial department a quick course in bookkeeping, which enables the pupil after a month's study to open and handle the books of any kind of business with perfect ease and accuracy.

Rev. Austin R. Hull of St. Patrick's church, Galena, visited the institution on Friday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Robert Seton, D. D., of Jersey City, N. J., has accepted the honorary post of Consultant in Ecclesiastical History and Christian Archaeology. Mr. Seton is a Prothonotary Apostolic and Dean of the Monsignori or Roman Prelates of the United States.

The Boston monthly "Mind" has been donated to the college reading room by the Alliance Publishing company.

SICKNER CONSERVATORY NOTES.

Zada Black is a new pupil in the guitar department.

Mr. Cones has completed his course in guitar and returned to his home in Oklahoma.

Miss Sallie French of Haystack, a former student and graduate from the conservatory, who has been teaching since completing her course of study, called Saturday to arrange for one of her advanced pupils to study with Professor Sickner.

Mrs. McKinney of Rose Hill visited the conservatory yesterday and entered her daughter in the piano department.

Miss Kathryn Schaeffer, vocal instructor in the school is drilling a class in Winfield preparatory to an elaborate musical entertainment to be given soon.

Several of the younger students participated in the pupil's recital Friday afternoon and played their respective numbers in a creditable manner. It was Mark Horner's first appearance in recital and her playing exhibited a decidedly musical temperament.

The more advanced pupils played with a skill and finish quite in advance of the average and bordering closely on professionalism. The program was given in the following order:

Piano solo—Stimulus Song, Stephen Heller
Bryan Chamberlain.

Piano solo—The Evening Star, Wagner
Kathryn Davin.

Piano solo—"Gladstone's Interest in Music."
Ruby Rye.

Piano solo—The Gypsy Dance, Hunt
Marie Horner.

Piano solo—English Melody, Kohler
Bertie Klein.

Piano solo—"Songs of Birds and Animals."
Minnie Conklin.

Piano solo—We Wander Through
the Garden, Kohler.

Piano solo—Nocturne, Fryderyk
Florence Kaufman.

Violin solo—Serenade, Tittel
Ada Sickner.

Piano solo—Age of Composers,
Daisy Chapman.

Piano solo—The Mill, Joseffy
Florence Kaufman.

Piano solo—Serenade, Moszkowski
Marguerite Bliss.

Piano solo—Valse Chromatic, Godard
Ossie Bergman.

Piano solo—Berceuse, Chopin
Bonnie Edrick.

Piano solo—Sonata, Dussek
Beatie Smith.

WICHITA COMMERCIAL COLLEGE NOTES.

Mr. Thomas Baker, a former graduate and who is now filling a good position at Caldwell, Kan., made a pleasant call at the college Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Buchtel of the shorthand department accepted a position as stenographer for the Wells, Fargo Express Co., of this city Friday.

Mr. H. E. Thayer delivered a most interesting lecture before the students on Friday morning on the true business life. He gave the young people some high and most excellent ideas of the true business life. His lecture was thoroughly appreciated by a large number of students.

Mr. Will U. Pyles, a former graduate from both the commercial and shorthand departments and who is the principal of the commercial department of the Sumner county high school at Wellington, Kansas, made a pleasant call at the college Saturday.

Miss Annie Craft, a former pupil from Anthony, Kansas, was a visitor at the college during the week. She is teaching in Harper county, this year.

The following students enrolled during the week: N. Fred Gardner, A. J. Adams, Marcellus Murdock and Miss Cecile Gaudin.

Music and Drama

Coming Attractions for Wichita Amusement Lovers

ALBINI AT THE TOLER.

The man who Hermann complimented as being the master of music is Albini, the Great, who makes his first appearance in this city after an absence of seven years in all parts of Europe. It is said that Albini has the greatest performance of the kind ever seen in this part of the country or anywhere else.

The tricks and illusions that Albini introduces are original with him and new to the public, not that old, worn out style of magic as given magicians fifty years ago. It is guaranteed that Albini will show everything new and bright, together with his pleasing manner and his noted humor. The patrons of the Toler can expect a splendid performance, as Albini is noted for to be able to give one.

The prices are reasonable and within the reach of all. Ladies will be admitted free to all the performances when accompanied by one paid ticket, and the price will be 25 and 50 cents. Matinee on Saturday.

THE HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS.

This well known organization will be heard for the first time this season in the sacred cantata, "David," by Geo. W. Marston, next Friday evening in the Toler Auditorium. This cantata is one of the most interesting choral works ever given here, and should appeal to all musicians and music lovers.

"David" is an exceedingly beautiful and consists of a delightful variety of solo, duets, trios, quartets and choruses which deals with the life of David prior to his becoming king of Israel.

The characters portrayed as David, Jonathan and Michal and Merab, the two daughters of King Saul, with choruses of Hebrew soldiers, Hebrew women and Philistines.

The solo parts will be taken by Mr. Moses Johnson, Mr. Lucius Ades, Miss Ada Pratt and Miss Blanche Imboden, and these young people, who are all possessed of fine voices, will do their work in a manner worthy of much older singers.

The chorus will consist of 120 voices, and these young singers will give the choruses very ably. The accompanist is Miss Harriet Stanley, who plays the difficult accompaniments finely, and is a great support to the chorus.

The proceeds of the concert will go to the new gymnasium, and it is hoped that the chorus will have a neat sum to their credit in this fund.

Remember the time and place—Friday evening, April 12, in the Toler Auditorium. Reserved seats will be on sale Wednesday, April 10, at the Hocking-Moore drug store.

ALL TASTES SUITED.

Educating the public, musically, is an expensive process for an operatic manager and requires unlimited patience. The Andrews Opera company which appears here in a short season of operas commencing tomorrow night at the popular Crawford theater seems to have found a practical solution of the problem. During their engagement here, Verdi's classical grand opera "Il Trovatore" and the most successful comic ever written, "Mikado" will be presented thus forming a variety of entertainment that will suit the most fastidious lovers of music of either class.

Since the days of the lamented Emma Abbott no company has so endeared itself to the American public as has this organization. Patrons should not forget that the management of this class of attraction has considerable expense attached and lend their hearty support accordingly.

The Andrews claim that the secret of their success is in constantly striving to improve their productions instead of trading on past reputation. Their fifteen consecutive years of success would indicate that they have the right idea. They are carrying a company of 30 people this year, and our music lovers may look forward to a rare treat.

Miss Nellie Andrews, prima donna soprano, who left the Andrews Opera company two years ago to study for one year abroad and last year was especially engaged by the Boston Lyric Opera company for their Pacific coast and Honolulu trip, is back with the company bearing her name as one of the prima donnas and will sing with them during their forthcoming engagement in this city.

Miss Florence Clayton, another of the old favorites, is also with the company, and her rich contralto voice will again delight her many admirers. In Tuesday night's performance of Mikado, Fritz Huttman will appear as "Nanki Poo."

In speaking of the Wichita engagement of the Andrews company here this week, Fritz Huttman says that the company is truly much larger and stronger than when they were here earlier in the season. Besides having a much stronger chorus, the company has been greatly strengthened by the addition of Mr. Jay Taylor, the tenor, and Chad Parker, the great comedian who was with Andrews six years ago, at which time the company gave such excellent satisfaction. Fritz says that the comedy work between Ed Andrews and Chad Parker, two splendid comedians, is side-splitting at times. In every way Fritz assures his friends here the company is giving fine performances and is better even than it was six years ago. They played at Hutchinson last night and will reach Wichita at 1:15 this afternoon. They have done an immense business in the western states since leaving here in January. From here the opera company will go to Kansas City to play an extended engagement. Jay Taylor, who is now with the company, a well known opera tenor, was here with the company several years ago and was a great friend of the late Charles M. Jones, both having known each other in their old home in Michigan.

Carnaux will close his engagement at the Toler tonight with a lecture on Hypnotism and mind reading which he will explain to the best of his ability and give a number of tests in the same. He is purely a wonder in his line.

The local musicians are united in talking up the performance of the "Mikado" for next Tuesday night, in which Fritz Huttman will play the leading tenor role of Nanki Poo. This sentiment seems to be shared very generally and there is a disposition to accord the talented Wichita boy a rousing welcome.

Not Affected by Cabinet Crisis.

Washington, April 5.—It is understood here that the cabinet does not fall in Denmark has not affected the negotiations which have been running on for some time past looking to the acquisition by the United States of the Danish West Indian Islands, although it may delay matters. So far as is known here, the session was not an issue in the recent elections.

Barr Has Accepted Position.

Richmond, Va., April 5.—James M. Barr, vice president of the American, Texaco and Santa Fe, has accepted the position of first vice president and general manager of the Seaboard Air Line system and will probably take charge May 1.

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